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**LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 TO 19: FULL-TIME ATTENDANCE  
AT SCHOOL OR A TERTIARY EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION, FEBRUARY 1998**

BY SCHOOL OR A TERTIARY EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION, FEBRUARY 1996											
State or Territory	Employed		Unemployed			Labour force	Not in labour force	Civilian population aged 15-19	Unemployment rate	Unemployment population ratio - per cent -	Participation rate
	Full-time workers	Total	Looking for full-time work	Looking for part-time work - '000 -	Total						
ATTENDING NEITHER SCHOOL NOR A TERTIARY EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION FULL TIME											
New South Wales	74.6	98.9	24.2	* 1.9	26.1	125.0	22.6	147.6	20.9	17.7	84.7
Victoria	42.8	55.5	20.8	* 2.6	23.3	78.8	9.6	88.4	29.6	26.4	89.1
Queensland	45.3	65.8	16.8	* 0.2	17.0	82.8	9.0	91.8	20.5	18.5	90.2
South Australia	14.8	21.9	8.1	* 0.7	8.8	30.7	4.2	34.9	28.6	25.2	88.0
Western Australia	29.0	38.7	11.0	* 0.4	11.4	50.1	5.2	55.2	22.7	20.6	90.7
Tasmania	6.1	9.2	2.9	* 0.1	3.0	12.2	1.6	13.8	24.7	21.8	88.3
Northern Territory	2.7	3.2	* 0.6	* 0.2	* 0.7	3.9	1.5	5.4	* 18.8	* 13.5	71.7
Australian Capital Territory	3.1	4.2	1.4	* 0.2	1.6	5.8	* 0.5	6.3	27.5	25.2	91.9
Australia	218.5	297.4	85.7	6.2	91.9	389.3	54.3	443.6	23.6	20.7	87.8
ATTENDING A TERTIARY EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION FULL TIME											
New South Wales	* 4.6	32.2	* 3.3	7.2	10.4	42.6	32.6	75.2	24.5	13.9	56.7
Victoria	5.4	34.0	* 1.3	8.0	9.3	43.3	22.3	65.7	21.5	14.2	66.0
Queensland	4.0	29.1	* 0.5	4.1	4.6	33.6	18.3	51.9	13.6	8.8	64.8
South Australia	* 1.2	8.4	* 0.1	* 1.5	* 1.6	10.0	5.7	15.7	* 16.2	* 10.3	63.8
Western Australia	* 1.8	17.0	* 0.9	* 2.5	3.4	20.5	5.7	26.1	16.8	13.1	78.2
Tasmania	* 0.3	1.7	* 0.1	* 0.4	* 0.5	2.2	* 1.2	3.4	* 24.1	* 15.3	63.7
Northern Territory	* 0.1	* 0.6	* 0.0	* 0.1	* 0.1	* 0.7	* 0.1	* 0.8	* 13.5	* 11.6	* 86.1
Australian Capital Territory	* 0.4	3.2	* 0.2	* 0.3	* 0.5	3.7	1.0	4.7	* 12.9	* 10.2	79.1
Australia	17.9	126.1	6.5	24.0	30.5	156.6	86.9	243.5	19.5	12.5	64.3
ATTENDING SCHOOL											
New South Wales	* 0.3	54.2	* 0.8	13.2	14.0	68.1	137.9	206.1	20.5	6.8	33.1
Victoria	* 0.6	46.9	* 1.0	10.8	11.7	58.6	104.8	163.4	20.0	7.2	35.9
Queensland	* 0.0	38.2	* 0.7	9.3	10.1	48.2	59.8	108.0	20.9	9.3	44.6
South Australia	* 0.2	11.6	* 0.3	3.2	3.5	15.1	33.4	48.4	22.9	7.1	31.1
Western Australia	* 0.0	15.8	* 0.0	3.3	3.3	19.1	31.9	50.9	17.3	6.5	37.4
Tasmania	* 0.0	5.1	* 0.4	* 0.8	* 1.2	6.3	10.9	17.3	* 19.0	* 7.0	36.7
Northern Territory	* 0.0	1.6	* 0.0	* 0.4	* 0.4	2.0	5.2	7.1	* 20.1	* 5.5	27.5
Australian Capital Territory	* 0.0	3.7	* 0.1	1.1	1.3	5.0	6.3	11.3	25.5	11.3	44.4
Australia	* 1.0	177.1	3.4	42.0	45.4	222.5	390.2	612.6	20.4	7.4	36.3
TOTAL											
New South Wales	79.5	185.3	28.3	22.2	50.5	235.8	193.2	428.9	21.4	11.8	55.0
Victoria	48.9	136.3	23.1	21.3	44.4	180.8	136.8	317.5	24.6	14.0	56.9
Queensland	49.4	133.0	18.0	13.6	31.6	164.6	87.1	251.8	19.2	12.6	65.4
South Australia	16.2	41.9	8.5	5.4	13.9	55.8	43.2	99.0	24.8	14.0	56.3
Western Australia	30.9	71.5	11.9	6.2	18.1	89.6	42.7	132.3	20.2	13.7	67.7
Tasmania	6.4	16.0	3.5	1.3	4.7	20.7	13.8	34.5	22.9	13.8	60.0
Northern Territory	2.8	5.3	* 0.6	* 0.6	* 1.2	6.6	6.8	13.4	* 18.6	* 9.1	49.0
Australian Capital Territory	3.5	11.2	1.7	1.6	3.4	14.5	7.8	22.3	23.1	15.0	65.2
Australia	237.5	600.5	95.5	72.3	167.8	768.3	531.4	1,299.7	21.8	12.9	59.1

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AT SCHOOL OR A TERTIARY EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION, FEBRUARY 1998**

State or Territory	Unemployed					Labour force	Not in labour force	Civilian population aged 15-19	Unemployment rate	Unemployment population ratio - per cent -	Participation rate
	Employed		Looking for full-time work	Looking for part-time work	Total						
	Full-time workers	Total									
ATTENDING NEITHER SCHOOL NOR A TERTIARY EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION FULL TIME											
New South Wales	74,605	98,917	24,181	* 1,913	26,094	125,011	22,628	147,638	20.873	17.674	84.674
Victoria	42,838	55,471	20,775	* 2,567	23,342	78,813	9,601	88,414	29.617	26.401	89.141
Queensland	45,323	65,814	16,755	* 229	16,985	82,798	9,020	91,818	20.513	18.498	90.176
South Australia	14,838	21,940	8,060	* 720	8,780	30,721	4,191	34,912	28.581	25.150	87.996
Western Australia	29,032	38,701	10,999	* 377	11,376	50,076	5,152	55,228	22.717	20.598	90.672
Tasmania	6,098	9,178	2,887	* 125	3,012	12,190	1,622	13,812	24.710	21.808	88.257
Northern Territory	2,661	3,160	* 575	* 158	* 733	3,893	1,538	5,431	* 18.822	* 13.492	71.680
Australian Capital Territory	3,117	4,218	1,439	* 157	1,597	5,814	* 511	6,326	27.462	25.242	91.917
Australia	218,511	297,398	85,673	6,246	91,918	389,316	54,263	443,578	23.610	20.722	87.767
ATTENDING A TERTIARY EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION FULL TIME											
New South Wales	* 4,626	32,159	* 3,290	7,158	10,448	42,607	32,590	75,196	24.521	13.894	56.661
Victoria	5,439	33,984	* 1,340	7,980	9,320	43,304	22,348	65,652	21.522	14.196	65.959
Queensland	4,034	29,051	* 499	4,072	4,570	33,622	18,284	51,906	13.594	8.805	64.775
South Australia	* 1,186	8,375	* 146	* 1,470	* 1,615	9,990	5,676	15,666	* 16.170	* 10.312	63.769
Western Australia	* 1,841	17,014	* 943	* 2,493	3,436	20,451	5,686	26,137	16.803	13.148	78.245
Tasmania	* 286	1,651	* 122	* 401	* 523	2,174	* 1,241	3,416	* 24.054	* 15.312	63.656
Northern Territory	* 114	* 612	* 0	* 96	* 96	* 707	* 114	* 821	* 13.509	* 11.632	* 86.105
Australian Capital Territory	* 401	3,239	* 155	* 325	* 480	3,719	980	4,698	* 12.906	* 10.214	79.143
Australia	17,927	126,085	6,496	23,993	30,488	156,573	86,920	243,493	19.472	12.521	64.303
ATTENDING SCHOOL											
New South Wales	* 264	54,178	* 791	13,179	13,969	68,148	137,948	206,096	20.499	6.778	33.066
Victoria	* 595	46,890	* 994	10,753	11,747	58,637	104,813	163,450	20.034	7.187	35.875
Queensland	* 0	38,169	* 738	9,317	10,055	48,225	59,805	108,030	20.851	9.308	44.640
South Australia	* 163	11,608	* 274	3,181	3,455	15,063	33,380	48,444	22.937	7.132	31.095
Western Australia	* 0	15,774	* 0	3,293	3,293	19,067	31,859	50,926	17.271	6.466	37.440
Tasmania	* 0	5,135	* 445	* 762	* 1,207	6,342	10,917	17,258	* 19.032	* 6.993	36.745
Northern Territory	* 0	1,561	* 0	* 393	* 393	1,955	5,164	7,119	* 20.127	* 5.527	27.460
Australian Capital Territory	* 0	3,737	* 138	1,140	1,278	5,015	6,285	11,300	25.485	11.310	44.377
Australia	* 1,022	177,052	3,380	42,018	45,399	222,450	390,172	612,623	20.408	7.411	36.311
TOTAL											
New South Wales	79,495	185,254	28,262	22,249	50,511	235,765	193,166	428,931	21.424	11.776	54.966
Victoria	48,872	136,344	23,110	21,299	44,409	180,753	136,763	317,516	24.569	13.986	56.927
Queensland	49,356	133,034	17,992	13,618	31,611	164,645	87,109	251,754	19.199	12.556	65.399
South Australia	16,186	41,923	8,480	5,371	13,851	55,774	43,247	99,021	24.834	13.988	56.325
Western Australia	30,873	71,489	11,942	6,163	18,105	89,594	42,697	132,291	20.208	13.686	67.725
Tasmania	6,384	15,964	3,455	1,287	4,742	20,706	13,780	34,486	22.902	13.751	60.041
Northern Territory	2,775	5,333	* 575	* 647	* 1,222	6,555	6,816	13,371	* 18.638	* 9.137	49.023
Australian Capital Territory	3,518	11,193	1,733	1,622	3,355	14,547	7,777	22,324	23.060	15.027	65.165
Australia	237,460	600,534	95,549	72,257	167,805	768,339	531,355	1,299,694	21.840	12.911	59.117